

COUNTRY	Austria	REPORT NO.
TOPIC	Military Information from Klosterneuburg, Plunau, Faden, Schnechat and Ticker Reudorf	
EVALUATION	see below	PLACE OBTAINED
DATE OF CONTENT	prior to 13 July 1952	
DATE OBTAINED	DATE PREPARED 13 October 1952	
REFERENCES	25X1	
PAGES	3	ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE)
REMARKS		

25X1

25X1
Klosterneuburg.

- On 12 July 1952, a troop train was unloaded at the Klosterneuburg-Weidling (O 42/ 36) railroad station. The train had been observed at the Tulln (O 42/ 36) railroad station one hour before. The troops unloaded consisted of about 15 officers, including a major, and about 250 soldiers, all with black-bordered black epaulets or red-bordered black epaulets. The following materiel was observed: 3 pontoons; 1 motor boat; 1 prime mover; 4 trailers loaded with various equipment; 1 trailer with a generator; 1 two-wheeled chassis;

--	--

- Local residents stated that a train carrying a troop unit with tanks had arrived at Klosterneuburg-Weidling on 13 July. The train came from the direction of Tulln. (1)

Plunau.

- On 9 July, officers and NCO with black-bordered black epaulets, red-bordered black epaulets and blue-bordered black epaulets, nearly all of them with signal insignia, were observed at Plunau (O 43/ 36).

--

25X1
25X1
25X1
L.

SECRET

25X1

- 2 -

25X1

[redacted]

25X1

[redacted] with drivers who were red-bordered black epaulets and black-bordered black epaulets, were also observed in the same area. Three field grade officers with black-bordered black epaulets were observed at Doblhof castle which was guarded by a sentry with black-bordered black epaulets.

25X1

[redacted] with all drivers wearing black-bordered black epaulets. About 40 soldiers were at rifle drill on the former woodpile area south of Helementhalhof. The sentry at the northern entrance to this area wore red-bordered black epaulets and the sentry at the eastern entrance wore black-bordered black epaulets. About 20 EM strung heavy wire on telegraph poles. Thirty trucks were parked in the verandas.

25X1

25X1

25X1

[redacted] Four trucks carrying straw mattresses and billeting equipment were seen at the barracks at 98 through 100 Helementhal.

25X1

[redacted] with the driver wearing red-bordered black epaulets, left the installation, which was guarded by a sentry with red-bordered black epaulets. A major with black-bordered red epaulets and two majors wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia were observed by the building at the intersection of Zeilburg Strasse-Auerhof Gasse.

25X1

25X1

25X1

[redacted] an or gun, probably [redacted] stood in the yard of the former Flak Kaserne.

25X1

25X1

25X1

25X1

25X1

25X1

[redacted]

[redacted]

Schwechat.

5. On 7 July, about 15 trucks were observed at the Altkettenhof in Schwechat (P 49/X 16), which was guarded by a sentry with red-bordered black epaulets.

No weapons were seen. [redacted] left the installation in the direction of Vienna.

A major wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia [redacted] with the driver wearing red-bordered black epaulets, arrived at the Altkettenhof from the direction of Vienna and left toward Vienna one hour later. (4)

25X1

Wiener Neudorf.

6. Prior to June 1952, the purchasing office for Soviet troops stationed in Vienna was housed at 6 Kaerntner Ring, Vienna I, while the similar office for the other Soviet troops in Austria and Western Hungary was at 28/II Argentinier Strasse, Vienna IV. Since June 1952, the latter has been headed by Captain Laburin (fmu). Its ration supply depot and warehouse were located in the Austria Brewery in Wiener Neudorf (P 49/X 37).

SECRET

SECRET

25X1
25X1

- 3 -

25X1 [] Comments.
(1) From 18 June to 12 July 1952, the 8th Gds Eng Bn was stationed at an engineer training site in the Tulln area. [] 25X1
25X1 (2) Vehicle [] belongs to an unidentified signal unit and has been observed in Elbmau as well as Baden.
(3) Vehicle numbers of various series and belonging to various units have been previously observed in Baden.
25X1 (4) Vehicle [] belongs to the unidentified AAA regiment in Kagran. Connections between the AAA units in Schwechat and in Kagran have been repeatedly observed.

SECRET/